

second position, said locking member cooperating with said locking legs to engage an inner surface of the external wall through the security slot; and


a cable, coupled to said cable attachment mechanism, for securing said housing to an object other than to the portable device.

## CONCLUSION

In view of the foregoing, Applicants believe all claims now pending in this Application are in condition for allowance. The issuance of a formal Notice of Allowance at an early date is respectfully requested.

If the Examiner believes a telephone conference would expedite prosecution of this application, please telephone the undersigned at 415-576-0200.

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